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Designer For January.

The front cover page of The Designer for January, 1899, is effective to a high degree in drawing and coloring, and is typical of the progressiveness of this well-known publication, which is always the herald of up-to-date fashions and interests peculiarly feminine. The color plates in this issue are particularly successful, as are also the black-and-white illustrations, of which there is a generous supply. The holiday masquerader will find original and dainty suggestions for fancy costumes in the three pages devoted to the subject. Designs for pretty needlework, knitting, crocheting and tatting are plentiful and very attractive. Among the literary features are "A New Year's Ghost," a clever story which reserves its climax to the end, an installment of a continued story "An Unwarrantable Mistake," an excellent comedy, "The Boarding House," and the opening article of a series, "Practical Suggestions for Feminine Breadwinners." Beauty hints, floriculture and bicycle suggestions, notes on new books, cookery and household receipts are among the interesting things which fill up the table of contents.

Stop that barking by the use of Ballard's Horehound Syrup. It arrests the cough, allays irritation of the throat, and relieves congestion of the lungs in a day. It is safe and pleasant to take, and never disappoints. 25c, 50c. For sale by AUG. GRAVE.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

The Avoca county Teachers' Institute will hold its next session in Hallettsville on January 6 and 7, 1899. The following programme has been arranged:

I—Chapter III, McMurrey's Method of the Recitation.
II—Chapter IV, McMurrey's Method of the Recitation.

The teachers are requested to read the two chapters carefully and be prepared to discuss them.

III—A model recitation for a primary class in physiology. Subject—The bones.

IV—Educational value of the study of physiology.

A night program has been arranged for Friday night and will be published later.

You will never know how quickly you can be cured of constipation, dyspepsia or liver complaint, until you have tried Dr. Sawyer's Little Wide Awake Pills. Sold by AUG. GRAVE, Shiner, Texas.

Stamp Tax Repatee.

"Say," said the bookkeeper, addressing the cashier, and winking knowingly at the office boy, "do you know anything about this new stamp tax?"

"Sure," replied the cashier, "what do you want to know?"

"Suppose," continued the b. k., "that I wanted to express my opinion, would I have to stamp the express receipt?"

"Undoubtedly," answered the cashier. "But if you will allow me I would suggest that you forward your opinions by mail."

"And why by mail?" asked the autocrat of the ledger.

"Because," replied the cashier, "as they have no weight, it would be much cheaper."—Express Gazette.

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WIED NOTES.

Only a few more days and then dear old Santa Claus will be around again and make the children happy. Robert Reif, one of Witting's popular young men, passed through here Monday.

H. C. Miller was visiting at Kinkler and Pleasant Grove Saturday and Sunday.

Henry Wehmann spent last Sunday at —. Where?

Chas. Schroeder and family spent Sunday visiting near old Sweet Home.

Fritz Niemeyer, Henry and Chas. Krueger, were here from Moulton last Thursday. X.

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Keeping Tab on Credit.

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Farmersville Times: A Georgia granger who quit raising 4-cent cotton and has gone to real farming says he has now got

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Meat in the smoke house
And a tub full of lard—
Milk in the dairy,
Butter by the load.
Coffee in the tin box
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Cream in the pitcher,
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In many seemingly hopeless cases consumption has been averted, in stopping a hacking cough, by the use of Dr. Sawyer's Wild Cherry and Tar. AUG. GRAVE, Shiner, Tex.

Enough flax seed to plant an acre can be had for sixty-five cents. We have a market within a few miles of us. The seed is sown in February and can be had at Victoria.—Hallettsville Herald.

The big sugar king of Fort Bend county, Cunningham, will pay \$50 an acre for a fair crop of ribbon cane. That beats cotton four to one.—Hallettsville Herald.

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